

around the state have, and thereby leave a little leeway for property tax relief statewide.

SPEAKER NICHOL PRESIDING

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: I would like to call the question so we can vote on this before noon.

SPEAKER NICHOL: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. The question is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. We are voting on ceasing debate. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 5 nays, Mr. President, to cease debate.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Debate has ceased. Senator Landis, did you wish to close? Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, I do want to make just a brief remark. I told Bernice that I would mention, she wanted in the record and I think it is true that in the event you call into the Nebraska Furniture Mart in Omaha, you bring your pickup in, you still pay sales tax. It is at the sight of the retailer that this decision is made whether it is a taxable object and she wanted that into the record. There was a recent poll conducted by one of the radio stations in Lincoln, Senator Carsten was gracious enough to remind me of that, indicating that 71 percent of the population of the City of Lincoln supported the notion of this going on the ballot. I understand that we can talk about this some more. There are other points of view that we can express. If this is on Select File, I warrant that we will have a second debate and those points of view may be expressed at that time. I would welcome some more discussion. I do want to see that this issue is timely handled before that noontime exodus and people winding up being in cafeterias rather than in their chair voting on this important issue. It is important to my community and they have made a strong case before the Revenue Committee. They ask for your help in having a tool with which to respond to the challenge of President Reagan's New Federalism, and for that reason, I urge your green vote for the advancement to Select File of LB 116.